

# **Exhibit A**

SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK  
COUNTY OF NEW YORK

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CONSIST SOFTWARE SOLUTIONS, INC.,  
f/k/a CONSIST INTERNATIONAL, INC.,

Plaintiff,

-against-

SOFTWARE AG, INC. and SOFTWARE AG,

Defendants.  
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Index No. 602644/2007  
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SUMMONS

Venue is based on CPLR 509

TO THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANTS:

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED to answer the Complaint in this action and to serve a copy of your Answer, or, if the Complaint is not served with the Summons, to serve a Notice of Appearance on plaintiff's attorney within 20 days after the service of this Summons exclusive of the day of service (or within 30 days after service is complete if this Summons is not personally delivered to you within the State of New York); and in case of your failure to appear or answer, judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the Complaint.

Dated: New York, New York  
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